

Wednesday ~ June 15, 2005



Registration—8:00 am to 4:30 pm

9:00 am—12:00 pm

Pre-Conference Workshop

Yellowstone Ballroom

Occupational Safety & Health: Creative Training Techniques
Susan McMaster, CIT
Dean of Instruction, Central Carolina Technical College

1:00 pm—1:15 pm

Conference Opening & Welcome

Commissioner Keith Kelly MT Department of Labor & Industry

1:15 pm—2:40 pm

Opening Keynote

Yellowstone Ballroom

Optimal Performance Through Optimal Health

Nicholas R. S. Hall, PhD

Sponsored By: Jim Palmer Trucking Putman & Associates Refreshment Break—2:40 pm to 3:00 pm Hayden Hall Sponsored By: NCCI

3:00 pm—4:15 pm

Opening Keynote (continued)

Yellowstone Ballroom

Optimal Performance Through Optimal Health

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Sponsored By:

Bothe & Lauridsen PC Browning, Kaleczyc, Berry & Hoven PC Carey Law Firm Crowley, Haughey, Hanson, Toole & Dietrich, PLLP Mary Jane Barrett of Forensic Nursing Inc Evening Reception—6:30 pm to 8:00 pm Yellowstone Ballroom

8:00 pm—Midnight

Music in Resort Lounge

Sponsored By:

Garlington, Lohn & Robinson PLLP Halverson, Sheehy & Plath PC Hammer, Hewitt & Sandler PLLC Keller, Reynolds, Drake, Johnson & Gillespie PC



Thursday ~ June 16, 2005



Registration from 7:00 am to 4:30 pm

Breakfast Buffet 7:30 am to 8:30 am - Union Pacific Depot Dining Hall

Workers' Compensation

Canyon/Dunraven/Geyser

Critical Incident Response as a Risk Management Tool

Jamie Becker, LCSW-C Behavioral Health Care Coordinator Laborer's Health & Safety Fund of North America

Breakfast Buffet Sponsored By:

Alternative Service Concepts LLC
Deaconess Billings Clinic
Occupational Health
Mountain Water Company
Stimson Lumber Company

8:45 am—10:00 am

Occupational Safety & Health

Electric/Faithful

Mold Busters:

Airborne Contaminants of Biological Origin

Deborah Dietrich, CIH

Vice President and Corporate Industrial Hygienist for SKC, Inc.

Sponsored By:

Laborers-Employers Cooperation Fund

Refreshment Break—10:00 am to 10:20 am
Hayden Hall

Fall Protection

Critical Evaluation of IME Reports: Pain Ratings & Issues Related to Low Back Injuries

Marjorie Eskay-Auerbach, MD, JD

Jeff Harris

Fall Protection/Respiratory Gas Detection Sales Manager-Bacou-Dalloz

Sponsored By: Stillwater Mining Company Smelter & Refinery

Lunch—11:45 am to 1:15 pm
Union Pacific Depot Dining Hall

10:20 am—11:45 am

Sponsored By: Payne Financial Group

Sponsored By:

Mergenthaler Transfer & Storage

Workers' Compensation Court Update

Judge Mike McCarter MT Department of Labor & Industry

1:15 pm—2:45 pm

Making Behavioral Observation & Feedback Effective

Brad Kimble, PE, CSP Western Region Safety Coordinator ATC Associates

Sponsored By: Industrial Injury Claims a subsidiary of Midland Claims Service Inc Refreshment Break—2:45 pm to 3:05 pm Hayden Hall Sponsored By: Town Pump

Legislative Update:

Workers' Compensation Changes

Steve Carey Attorney Carey Law Firm Electrical Safety

3:05 pm—4:30 pm

Jerry Vercella & Kathy Griffith Safety Instructors NorthWestern Energy

Sponsored By: ra Integrated Services

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Mary Jane Barrett of Forensic Nursing

Safety Awards & Banquet—6:00 pm to 7:30 pm
Union Pacific Depot Dining Hall

Sponsored By: Hanser's Automotive & Wrecker Company Montana State Fund Montana Tavern Association

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Fríday ~ June 17, 2005



Continental Breakfast 7:30 am to 8:30 am - Hayden Hall

Workers' Compensation

Canyon/Dunraven/Geyser

Continental Breakfast Sponsored By: Fall River Rural Electric Coop Inc

Montana Health Systems Inc
St Vincent Occupational Health Services

Occupational Safety & Health

Electric/Faithful

Independent Contractor-New Employee Changes

Jerry Keck, Dallas Cox, Kevin Braun and Larry Jones
Department of Labor & Industry
Montana State Fund

8:30 am—10:00 am

Empowering People for Long-Term Success

Dana Jefferies Safety Director Plum Creek Timber Company

Sponsored By: Admiral Beverage Corporation

Refreshment Break—10:00 am to 10:20 am Hayden Hall **Sponsored By:**Montana Logging Association

Asbestosis: The Libby Connection

Dr. Alan Whitehouse

Liberty Northwest

10:20 am—11:30 am

OSHA Update

Mary Lynn, CIH, CSP OSHA Consultant Project Manager Region VIII

Wrap-up & Door Prizes—11:30 am to Noon

Yellowstone Ballroom

Jerry Keck, Administrator
MT Department of Labor & Industry

Must Be Present To Win!